

Alexander Mudd

May, 1914

State of Oklahoma,)
Quapaw Indian Agency,) SS

In the matter of a hearing held before Ira C. Deaver, Superintendent to determine the heirs of Alexander Mudd, deceased Quapaw allottee, No. 177, comes now, Minnie Redeagle, who being of lawful age and first duly sworn states as follows:

Q. What is your name and age, and of what tribe of Indians are you a member?

A. My name is Minnie Redeagle; I am 40 years of age, and a member of the Quapaw tribe of Indians.

Q. Were you acquainted with Alexander Mudd, deceased and his family history?

A. I knew Alexander Mudd all of his life?

Q. About when did Alexander Mudd, the decedent die?

A. I do not know the exact date, but it has been a number of years ago.

Q. Was Alexander Mudd married at the time of his death?

A. He was only a boy at the time of his death, therefore unmarried.

Q. Did he ever have any children?

A. No, he never had any children, to the best of my knowledge and belief, he was only about 14 or 15 years of age.

Q. What was Alexander Mudd's father's name, and is he living or dead?

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Q. What was his mother's name, and is she living or dead?

A. I do not remember his mother's name, but have been told that she died prior to her husband.

Q. Were there other children born to the parents of Alexander Mudd, the decedent?

A. I knew of two sisters of Alexander Mudd, both of whom died in childhood. I knew of no other children being born to the parents of Alexander Mudd.

Q. Do you know whether the father of Alexander Mudd had any brothers or sisters?

A. Snee-hee or Coldspring, who was my father, was a brother to Alexander Mudd. I just can remember a sister of my father, but cannot recall her name, she died before my father. I cannot remember any other brothers or sisters of Alexander Mudd. ^{'s} father.

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Yes.

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Q. Were you the only child born to Snee-hee or Coldspring?

A. The oldest child born to my father, was a daughter, who died in girlhood. I just can remember her. Johnny Coldspring was my brother, who died after allotment, leaving a wife and child surviving him. His wife's name is Grace Redeagle, now Walker, now living, and one child, a son, named Walter Coldspring, a minor, now living.

Q. Did you know any other brothers or sisters of your father?

A. My father told me that Julia Shapp's father was his brother or my uncle.

Q. Do you know of any brothers or sisters or their descendants of Alexander Mudd's mother?

A. No.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of September, 1913.

J. H. Deaves
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